

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2135**

Attorney Docket No. 9400-209CT

PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re: Jeffrey A. Aaron et al.

Group Art Unit: 2135

Serial No.: 10/811,585

Examiner: Nirav B. Patel

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For: FIREWALL SYSTEM AND METHOD VIA FEEDBACK FROM BROAD-SCOPE  
MONITORING FOR INTRUSION DETECTION

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**DO NOT ENTER**

**Thank you**

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL AND  
INTERVIEW SUMMARY**

Sir:

Applicants provide the present paper to address the issues raised in the final Office Action mailed October 22, 2007 and to provide a summary of the telephone interview conducted between Examiner Patel and Applicants' undersigned representative on March 6, 2008.

It is not believed that an extension of time and/or additional fee(s), including fees for additional claims, are required, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. In the event, however, that an extension of time is necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such an extension is hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). Any additional fees believed to be due in connection with this paper may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

**Amendments to the claims** are indicated in a Listing of Claims beginning at page 2.

**Arguments** begin on page 6.